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**Brief Summary of Selected Substantive Portions of this Response**

[0001] In an in-person interview with the Examiner on November 4<sup>th</sup>, 2008, differences between the cited references and the claims were discussed. Amendments are presented herein consistent with the discussion with the Examiner.

[0002] This brief summary is not intended to represent the Applicant's full response to the Action. Rather, it is merely a brief summary of selected substantive portions of the response herein.